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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE AFTER FINAL REJECTION OF 12/8/07

This response is submitted with an RCE.

One Month Extension

The commissioner is respectfully petitioned to grant a one month extension of time in the above application, and authorized to charge the fee for a one month extension and any other fee necessary to preserve the application to Deposit Account 10-0750/GSG/END5006.

Dear Sir:

Please amend the Application as set forth below and consider the following Remarks:

Amendments to the claims begin on Page 2.

Remarks begin on Page 5.

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